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Provisional agenda for the fifty-sixth session of the Commission

Provisional agenda and documentation for the fifty-sixth session of the Commission

1. Election of officers.

2. Adoption of the agenda and other organizational matters.

3. Follow-up to the World Summit for Social Development and the twenty-fourth special session of the General Assembly:

Documentation

Report of the Secretary-General on the social dimensions of the New Partnership for Africa's Development

(a) Priority theme: strategies for eradicating poverty to achieve sustainable development for all;

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Report of the Secretary-General on strategies for eradicating poverty to achieve sustainable development for all

(b) Review of relevant United Nations plans and programmes of action pertaining to the situation of social groups:

(i) World Programme of Action concerning Disabled Persons;

(ii) Standard Rules on the Equalization of Opportunities for Persons with Disabilities;

(iii) World Programme of Action for Youth;

(iv) Madrid International Plan of Action on Ageing, 2002;

(v) Family issues, policies and programmes;

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Documentation

Report of the Secretary-General on the implementation of the objectives of the International Year of the Family and its follow-up processes

Report of the Secretary-General on the third review and appraisal of the Madrid International Plan of Action on Ageing, 2002

(c) Emerging issues (to be determined).

Documentation

Note by the Secretariat on emerging issues

4. Programme questions and other matters.

Documentation

Note by the Secretariat on the proposed biennial programme plan for the period 2020-2021: subprogramme 2, Social policy and development, of programme 7, Economic and social affairs

5. Provisional agenda for the fifty-seventh session of the Commission.

6. Adoption of the report of the Commission on its fifty-sixth session.